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## LATE TELEGRAMS.

VIA AUSTRALIA.

SWISS MARKSMEN FOR BISLEY.

London, 15th April.

Eight of the best Swiss marksmen will take part in the Bisley meeting in July next.

CHURCH AND STATE IN FRANCE.

London, 15th April.

The refusal of the French Government to grant authorisation under the Religious Associations Act to various orders has caused commotion in ecclesiastical circles in France.

Several of the French bishops, acting in defiance of the Concordat, which forbids politics in the pulpit, are openly patronising unauthorised friars and thanking them for preaching.

A Dominican preacher in Paris compared M. Combes (the Premier), M. Loubet (the President), and M. Waldeck-Rousseau (the ex-Premier), to Judas, Herod, and Pontius Pilate respectively.

M. MILLERAND ARRIVED.

London, 16th April.

A Socialist Congress sitting at Bordeaux has by a narrow majority declined to expel M. Millerand the late French Minister for Commerce from the ranks of the Socialist party, on account of his opportunism.

DR. KOCH'S TUBERCULOSIS THEORY

DISPROVED.

London, 16th April.

The investigations of Professor David James Hamilton, Professor of Pathology at Aberdeen University, and Mr. M. Young, also of Aberdeen University, made with a view to testing Dr. Koch's tuberculosis theory, have proved that human tuberculosis is communicable to cattle.

NEW YORK RAILWAY SCANDAL.

London, 16th April.

The auditor who was appointed to examine the construction accounts of the New York Metropolitan Street Railway reports that he has discovered curious discrepancies. The deficit is estimated at £2,000,000.

FRANCE AND GERMANY.

London, 16th April.

A squadron of German dragons is reported to have recently crossed the Franco-German frontier at Arnaville, near Metz, for a distance of 30 yards, while the captain in charge described the bearings of the country to his men.

The Prefect of Nancy has informed General Andre (the French Minister for War) giving particulars of exactly what occurred.

IRISH AFFAIRS.

London, 16th April.

At a representative conference, held yesterday in Dublin, it was resolved on the motion of the Lord Mayor (Mr. T. C. Harrington, M.P.) to form an Irish Institute of Commerce and Industry, representing the manufacturing and trading interests of the four provinces. The conference also affirmed the desirableness of holding an International Exhibition in Dublin at an early date.

THE FALL IN CONSOLS.

London, 16th April.

Sir Edgar Vincent, M.P. (an authority on finance, who was governor of the Imperial Ottoman Bank, Constantinople, from 1889 to 1897), has a letter in *The Times* dealing with the fall in the price of British Consols.

Sir Edgar attributes the fall to a flooding of the market with high-class British securities which it was beyond the capacity of the public to absorb. The admission of colonial securities to the rank of trustee securities, and the recent large municipal issues, he regards as contributing causes.

UNITED STATES POLICE.

London, 16th April.

Speaking at New York yesterday, Ex-President Grover Cleveland attacked President Roosevelt's negro policy, and advocated the domination of the white race in the southern States. Mr. Cleveland maintained that the denial of social equality to negroes was not due to prejudice, but to racial instinct. The whites in the southern States were, he declared, entitled to the utmost consideration and sympathetic fellowship from the people of the North.

PROGRESSIVE NATAL.

London, 16th April.

The Natal Government proposes to borrow £4,000,000 for the construction of railways and harbour works.

The Government has introduced a bill compelling all Natalians between the ages of 17 and 50 to serve in the militia.

THE TROUBLES IN FINLAND.

London, 16th April.

General Bobrikoff, whom the Tsar recently appointed to the Dictatorship of Finland, has been confirmed as absolute Dictator for a period of three years. He has been empowered to close factories, offices, and shops at his discretion, and to assign recalcitrants to residences in various places throughout the Russian Empire.

SOUTH AFRICAN MINING.

London, 17th April.

The Rand native labour supply has of late

greatly improved and there is a prospect of successful recruiting in Madagascar.

A gold reef has been struck in the Cloverfield mine, upon the Rand, at a depth of 2,897 feet.

THE CANADIAN BUDGET.

London, 17th April.

The Canadian surplus for the year amounts to 13,350,000 dollars (about £2,670,000), enabling the liquidation of the national debt by 5,650,000 dollars (£1,130,000).

The Dominion Minister of Finance (Mr. W. S. Fielding) has announced that since negotiations have failed to induce Germany to treat Canadian products fairly, the Canadian Government has determined to take further action.

A surtax, one-third additional to the present duty, will, Mr. Fielding states, be immediately levied upon German goods.

A COMPLAINT FROM THE

"ARGONAUT."

"Witness" writes from the China Station to the N. & M. Record as follows:—

"Quite recently I observed on the notice board of the Argonaut a list of the ships that were considered eligible to partake of the honours of the late crisis in the Far East, and was rather surprised to find the cruiser Argonaut not mentioned. The date of our arrival in Hongkong was August 13th, 1900, and at that time the trouble was far from being at an end. But unfortunately for us we were detained at the last-mentioned place until the early part of November, after which we were despatched to Amoy, which is about 250 miles north of Hongkong, so that we were not in the vicinity of the seat of war, and could not therefore take any active part in the operations. But the ships included in the list, which did practically nothing for their honours, might have been sent to finish their work, which we had to do."

I would like to point out in favour of some of the ship's company of the Argonaut that about 30 ratings, under the gunnery officer, were despatched on shore at Shanhaiwan in the early part of 1901 to dismount a heavy 6in naval quick-firing gun, which the military authorities on shore (British) were almost on the point of giving a few lbs. of dynamite. But the Argonauts arrived just in the nick of time, and saved the weapon from destruction, transporting gun, mounting, and everything connected with it (weighing about 11 tons) a distance of something like three miles, over marshy ground and streams several feet wide, to the railway station. There it was placed on a railway trolley for conveyance to Tientsin. The time taken was 15 days, which I consider smart, having regard to the obstructions met with. But my point is this—our ship's company assisted with the work; why not therefore share the honours?"

## PUBLIC COMPANIES

THE YANGTZE INSURANCE ASSOCIATION, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

A DIVIDEND at the rate of Twenty per Cent., being Twelve Dollars per Share, on the Paid-up Capital of the above Association, has been declared payable in Cash, at exchange 73, at THE CHANGHAI BANK OF INDIA, AUSTRALIA AND CHINA, OR THE HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION, Shanghai, on and after this date to Shareholders of record on the 11th April, 1903.

By Order of the Board of Directors, W. S. JACKSON, Secretary.

Shanghai, 22nd April, 1903. [1305]

HONGKONG STEAM WATER BOAT COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

AN INTERIM DIVIDEND of Six per Cent. for the Half-year (from 1st October, 1902 to 31st March, 1903) has been declared.

DIVIDEND WARRANTS will be issued on and after the 16th instant.

THE TRANSFER BOOKS will be CLOSED from the 13th to the 16th instant, both days inclusive.

By Order, CHAD. T. KEW, Acting Manager.

Hongkong, 8th May, 1903. [1384]

THE "STAR" FERRY COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE FIFTH ORDINARY ANNUAL MEETING OF SHAREHOLDERS in the above Company will be held at the COMPANY'S OFFICE, No. 2, Connaught Road, at Noon, on WEDNESDAY, the 20th MAY, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors, with a Statement of Accounts to 30th April, 1903.

THE TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 15th to the 20th MAY, both days inclusive.

By Order, R. J. MACGOWAN, Acting Secretary.



To ascertain the anchorage of any Vessel, the Harbour has been divided into Four Sections, commencing—from Green Island. Vessels anchoring nearest Kowloon, are marked *k*, nearest Hongkong *h*, midway between Hongkong and Kowloon *m*, and those vessels berthed at the Kowloon Wharf *k.w.*, together with the number denoting the section SECTIONS.

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the 1990s, the number of people in the United States who are 65 years of age or older is projected to increase from 20 million to 35 million, and the number of people 75 years of age or older is projected to increase from 10 million to 15 million (U.S. Census Bureau, 1996).

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K. NAKASHIMA, Manager.

Hongkong, 11th May, 1903. 1478

Hongkong, 5th May, 1903.

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Hongkong, 30th April, 1903.

T. ARIMA, Manager

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TUESDAY, 12th May,  
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at Noon.FRIDAY, 15th May,  
at Noon.SATURDAY, 16th May,  
at Noon.SUNDAY, 17th May,  
at Noon.MONDAY, 18th May,  
at Noon.TUESDAY, 19th May,  
at Noon.WEDNESDAY, 20th May,  
at Noon.THURSDAY, 21st May,  
at Noon.FRIDAY, 22nd May,  
at Noon.SATURDAY, 23rd May,  
at Noon.SUNDAY, 24th May,  
at Noon.MONDAY, 25th May,  
at Noon.TUESDAY, 26th May,  
at Noon.WEDNESDAY, 27th May,  
at Noon.THURSDAY, 28th May,  
at Noon.FRIDAY, 29th May,  
at Noon.SATURDAY, 30th May,  
at Noon.SUNDAY, 31st May,  
at Noon.MONDAY, 1st June,  
at Noon.TUESDAY, 2nd June,  
at Noon.WEDNESDAY, 3rd June,  
at Noon.THURSDAY, 4th June,  
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GLASGOW and LIVERPOOL...	"ANTENOR"	On 15th May.
GLASGOW and LIVERPOOL...	"PELEUS"	On 17th May.
GLASGOW and LIVERPOOL...	"YANGTZE"	On 19th May.
GLASGOW and LIVERPOOL...	"DUPACK"	On 21st May.

FROM	STEAMERS	TO SAIL
MARSEILLES, LONDON and ANTWERP	"JASON"	On 12th May.
LIVERPOOL via GENOA...	"AGAMEMNON"	On 14th May.
LONDON	"PATROCLOS"	On 16th May.
LONDON	"CALCHAS"	On 18th May.
LIVERPOOL via GENOA...	"HYSON"	On 20th May.
MARSEILLES, LONDON and ANTWERP	"ALCINOUS"	On 22nd May.
MARSEILLES, LONDON and ANTWERP	"ANTENOR"	On 24th May.

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CHINA NAVIGATION CO.  
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FOR	STEAMERS	TO SAIL
SHANGHAI	"HUNAN"	On 13th May.
CEHU and HIOLO	"KWEIYANG"	On 15th May.
SAMARANG and SOERABAYA	"HANYANG"	On 17th May.
MANILA	"SUNGKANG"	On 19th May.
MANILA	"TSINAN"	On 21st May.
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BOSTON TOW-BOAT COMPANY.

Steamer.	Captain.	Tons.	Sailing Date.
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SHAWMUT	W. M. Smith	3,606	May 30th

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Hongkong, 8th May, 1903. [13-2]

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Hongkong, 7th May, 1903. [13-3]

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G. DE CHAMPEAUX,  
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Hongkong, 9th May, 1903. [12]

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J. S. VAN BUREN,  
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Hongkong, 30th April, 1903. [13-1]

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Hongkong, 4th August, 1897. [13-1]

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**E. A. HEWETT,**  
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Hongkong, 11th May, 1903. [14]

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